

Revise the Second Paragraph of Part 7.4.1 as indicated below:

The Steering Committee will convene in regularly scheduled public meetings, and its proceedings will be facilitated by the Secretary's Office of the California Resources Agency. The Steering Committee may elect to form subcommittees and workgroups as it may deem appropriate to analyze issues in greater detail and to report back to the full Steering Committee. Members of the Steering Committee are encouraged to caucus between such meetings. Draft agreements, technical studies, and any other documents pertaining to the development of the BDCP that are prepared by or on behalf of the Resources Agency or any of the Fishery Agencies and that are provided to or shared with any member of the Steering Committee (other than the Resources Agency or another Fishery Agency) shall be provided to all other members of the Steering Committee at the same time. Nothing in the preceding sentence obligates the Resources Agency or any Fishery Agency to disclose pre-decisional documents that have not been provided to any member of the Steering Committee or to in any way limit informal email or verbal communications. Staff and consultants from the Potential Regulated Entities and the Fishery Agencies will work with the Steering Committee to provide technical expertise and share information for the development and implementation of the BDCP.

“Any information, studies, documents or other materials prepared by or on behalf of the Resources Agency and/or state and federal regulatory agencies that are shared with any member of the Steering Committee shall be forwarded to the other members of the Steering Committee at the same time.”